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Notes From the Underground

Welcome to the Mountain. This, the Crumb, a daily compendium of essential data and wry addenda, will not concern itself, as other publications might, with our wretched Demonia at the bottom of the hill, or what goes on in where we've come from. No. For the time being we inhabit a mountain in Vermont. It is summer. We must laugh and we must sing.

Library Procedure

All course books may be checked out for 2 days, and may be renewed if no one is waiting for them, except 2-hour reserve books on the cart by the desk, which may go out for 2 hours or overnight, with a few exceptions to be used in the library only.

Books in the permanent Wilfred Davison collection may be checked out for a week, unless needed for courses, and may be renewed.

Students who borrow books individually from the Middlebury College Library downtown MUST return them themselves or try to charm the taxi driver into doing so. In general, students who wish to borrow books downtown will find it faster to do so personally than to send for them through this library.

More Notes

Sign-ups are being taken for daily and Sunday newspapers delivered to the Mountain. Should you need x to know, as another has said, what awful has happened, the NY Times & Boston Globe will be glad to tell. Dailies are 20¢ each, 85¢ Sunday. Sign-up ends tomorrow.

Little Theatre

Auditions for all plays to be produced this summer will begin tonight at 7:30 in the Little Theatre and continue tomorrow afternoon and evening. Copies of the one-act plays are available for reading in the LT office and can be signed out for 1-hour reading periods. All copies should be returned by 4 this afternoon. I f you are interested in the technical areas of production , sign up now for the list on the bookstore bulletin board.

Essential

Will all prospective 1972 degree candidates please see Miss Becker in the Secretary's Office as soon as possible.

Hunger and the Urge for Going

If you miss a meal and are hungry, remember the snack bar in the Barn. We cannot keep the dining room open longer or let people in late, since waiters are here to go to class as well as wait tables. Set your Accutron by the clock at the dining room door -- we do not subscribe to Greenwich Mean Time.

Pilgrims

The Chaucer class will meet Monday, Wednesday and Friday in Barn 6 at 2:00--3:00pm. Swich licour provided.

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Theatre Biz

Anyone who auditioned last night, please check the bulletin board outside the bookstore. There are 3 lists posted for further readings this afternoon.

If you have not yet auditioned, but would like to, you may try out today from 2:00--2:30pm in Room 1 of the Barn or at 7:30 tonight in the Theatre.

Let the Great Axe Fall

Any student who decides after Monday, July 3, not to take a third course must still pay the $100 fee. Those having questions about this matter should see Mr. Cubeta.

Will the following please settle their fees with Miss Becker in the Secretary's Office today:

Bob Chenoweth
Rachel Clark
Tom De Mong
Dennis Diefendorf
Susan Handelman
C.C. Tutwiler
Doug Harper
Elisabeth Laderonte
Ann Lowe
Steve Rosen

Guest Auditors

If you are not registered at Bread Loaf and attend a class or lecture, you are asked to pay a one dollar courtesy fee. This fee is payable to Miss Becker.

We Are At the Center of a Diamond,

Wallace Stevens to the contrary. Bread Loaf's softball team, The Upper Crusters, will open its season this Sunday afternoon at 2:00pm. (after dinner) on the field next to the Barn. Students and faculty--new or old--are invited to participate. Two games, one and the second seven innings, will be played against Cooney's Townies. Spectators welcome. Car owners are urged to move their vehicles to the west of the line of trees.

FINGERS, Accomplished, Sought:

Madrigals will be heard on the Mountain this summer if people with some pianistic ability can be found to help the director muddle through rehearsals. If you can help, please contact Ray Buono in Cherry #1. (First Madrigal Meeting--Tuesday at 4)

Give Them Time, Time

If you plan on being off-campus for one or more meals over the weekend, please note those meals on the list at the front desk. This courtesy allows the waiters some relief from their deadening labor.

Flicks

Tonight at 9:00pm in the Barn see Jack Benny, Carole Lombard and Robert Stack in To Be Or Not To Be, the old question put a new way. This movie created a furor when it was released in the early 40's. Find out why. Tomorrow night witness The Awful Truth, a laff riot with Cary Grant & friends. Same time, same place.

Mass

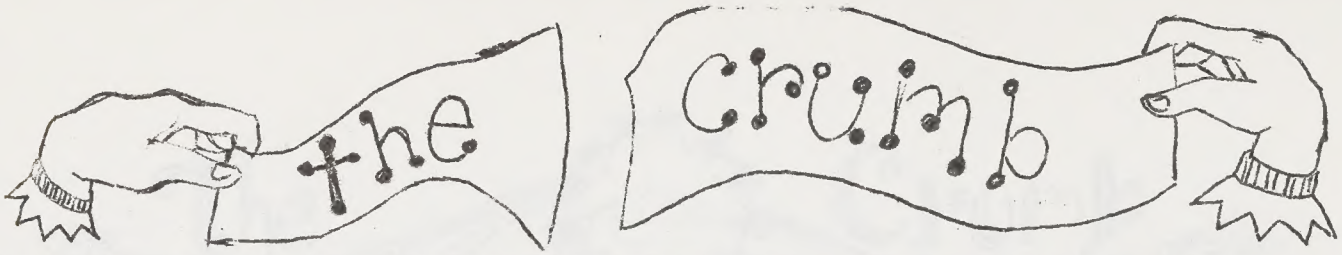
Will be celebrated Sunday at 10:30am in Barn 1.

Urgent Libe Notice

Someone has inadvertently taken, without signing it out, copy 2 of The Greek Bucolic Poets, on 2-hour reserve for Mr. Giamatti's course #136. Please return it to the library. Many people need to use it.

Reminder

Newspaper sign-up ends 10pm today at the Front Desk.



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Symphony

Tonight at 8:00 the Vermont Symphony Orchestra will present its only summer concert, at the Memorial Field House in Middlebury. The special Summer School admission price is $2.00. Alan Carter will conduct the 78-member orchestra in Brahms Symphony No. 1; assisted by pianist Genaro Santoro, Artist-in-Residence at Johnson State College, Johnson, Vermont, the orchestra will perform Rachmaninoff's Second Piano Concerto.

David Raksin will guest-conduct excerpts from his film scores as the footage which they accompany is projected for the audience: a medley of frames and notes.

Please

Will the person banking with the "National Bank of North America at West Hempstead, N.Y." please check with the Front Office. Alone. With the money.

Faculty At Lunches

will be sitting according to a seating plan posted outside the dining room, Monday through Friday, starting today. Students are cordially invited to join them.

Also, food, dishware, glasses, etc, are not to be taken from the dining hall. If you are ill and need meals delivered please contact Nurse Paine in the Infirmary.

A Half Loaf

is better than none. Two spectacular rallies by our Upper-Crusters resulted in an opening game victory yesterday afternoon, 10-9, in eleven innings. Leading the attack were Jim Kane, Dave Wilson, Paul Campbell and Chris Martin, whose line drive batted in the winning run. Dave Wilson survived early-game fielding problems by his teammates to be the winning pitcher. (We lost the 2nd game, 9-4).

Dancers

We will start a modern dance class on Wednesday at 4:00 in the Barn. Regular classes will be Mondays & Wednesdays, smae time. Wear comfortable clothing.

Laundry

The Foley's folks should be here tomorrow from 2--4pm, in back of the Inn (not, as some were told, the Barn).

Today,

July 3, is the last day to change courses without paying the penalty fee of one dollar.

1972 Degree Candidates

are asked to congregate in the Blue Parlor after lunch this Wednesday, July 5, in order to choose a President and commencement speaker.

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In Honor

of our violent heritage the Post Office is closed today. Stores are closed. Offices are closed. Gas stations and the keen eye of justice remain, as ever in our star-spangled land, open.

And the Laborers Are Few

Crew Organization and Orientation Meeting for all shows.
Today -- Tuesday -- 4pm in the Little Theatre

All members of the theatrical production course and any volunteers who signed up at try-outs or on the bulletin board sheet (plus anyone who is interested in helping make the summer plays successful) should attend this meeting. Crew assignments are posted on the Bookstore bulletin board. Additional volunteers are welcome.

Complete cast list of Out At Sea and The Loveliest Afternoon of the Year is now posted on the bulletin board.

Seniors

The Senior Meeting has been changed to Friday, July 7, right after lunch.

Sing A Merry Madrigal

The Bread Loaf Madrigalists will pay their first tribute to Orpheus and Dionysus this afternoon in the Barn from 4 to 5. Warblers of all ages, from all parts of the Bread Loaf community are welcome. Previous choral experience is not required. If you can hold your own in "Three Blind Mice" you're in.

Peck

In order to allow everyone a sound sleep for the coming day's academic challenges, we have placed four or five large examination tables in Room 5 of the Barn. We ask that all typing after 11pm be done in this room. Thank you.

Snip

Eric will be cutting and burning hair Wed, Fri, Sat, and Sundays (until further notice) between the hours of 2:00 and 4:30pm (unless an emergency arises). For those who are chronic worriers - stop - in case of an error in design I have brought a supply of WIGS. Please sign for an appointment at the main desk and specify what you would like done. BE ON TIME.

Costuming

Anyone interested in working on costumes for any of the plays please meet with Sherry briefly at the costume shop in the LT tomorrow (Wednesday) at 7:30pm. Learn how to plate sin with gold.

Nothing To Fear But Fire

Fire Emergency Plan (read carefully):

On each floor of the residence halls there is a posted notice explaining what to do in case of fire. It gives the location of fire extinguishers, fire escapes and fire boxes. It also names the person on your floor who has agreed to act as fire marshal.

Please be careful when smoking and obey the NO SMOKING signs when they appear (attention in the classrooms, please).

In Spite

of Bread Loaf's long humanistic tradition, women are relegated to the sidelines of the Sunday baseball game in the confident male assumption that they are fit only for waving handkerchiefs and sighing. Any women who want to help form a BL women's baseball team to enlighten the men are invited to contact Susie Handelman, Larch 4, Box 61.

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Flick

Ten Days That Shook the World will shake it again tonight at 9:00 in the Barn. Directed by Sergei Eisenstein, the film (also known as October) is an historical re-creation of the Russian Revolution. Silent. 1928. Running time: 68 minutes. Visually stunning.

Annual Robert Frost Picnic

Please sign up at the Front Desk by Friday noon if you would like a picnic lunch at 1:00pm on Saturday at the Frost farm, following a tour of the Frost Cabin at 12:00pm. Lunch will be served at the Inn for those not going. Off-campus students and their families are most welcome. Meal tickets for anyone who does not have a board contract at Bread Loaf can be purchased at the Front Desk. Meals cost $1.50 for those 12-years old and up, $.75 for those in the 3-12 years range, and absolutely free of charge for those under 3 years of age.

PICNIC DIRECTIONS: Owing to limited parking facilities, students are encouraged to walk. Taxi service, however, will be available. The taxi will leave from the front of the Inn at noon. If you are driving, please park in the lot directly off route 125. To get to the Frost farm head out on 125 (the road in fron of the Inn) toward Middlebury until you spot the Robert Frost Memorial sign just off the road on your right. Now walk or drive backwards until you come to a dirt road on you right (on your left if you have turned around). This road is also identifiable by being opposite a mailbox with the name Morrison printed on it. Walk up this little road and you will arrive.

Today's the Day

the first Dance Class meets in the Barn from 4 to 5pm in Room 2. Wear leotard or comfortable loose clothing. Everyone's welcome to try. No cost, no obligation.

Smoking

Due to the increased danger of fire, please do not smoke while movies are being shown in the Barn.

Library Pleas

#1 Since students are many and reserve books are few, remember to check books out at the desk when you take them from the shelves (for even a few minutes). This is particularly important when you use books from the 2-hour shelves.

#2 Please return any of the following books to the Library. They have vanished from the shelves without being checked out:

J.M. Edmonds -- The Greek Bucolic Poets
W.H. Auden -- Selected Poetry
Jane Austen -- Emma; Pride and Prejudice
Harold Bloom -- English Romantic Poetry
Willis Barnstone -- Modern European Poetry
Jorge Luis Borges -- Ficciones
Padraic Cohem -- Anthology of Irish Poetry
Matthew Arnold -- Sohrab and Rustum
The Study of Poetry
Samuel Talor Coleridge -- Selected Poems

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Tunes

Madrigalists today -- good things to sing -- STOP -- Barn, four o'clock -- STOP -- Basses we need, fa-la-la-la-la. Stop.

LT Painting Crew Call

The painters begin work tomorrow at 2pm. First project is the Theatre itself. No talent needed. We furnish paint, brushes and ladders. All you need is a little time, a strong right arm and a willing spirit.

Kids

There will be a special children's dance workshop today at 2 in front of the Barn. All Bread Loaf children are invited: from those who are old enough to pay attention up to (and including) teenagers.

Lost

A swift-footed dancer took my sandals by mistake yesterday in the loft. You'll know them by the flapping sole of the right water buffalo. I have yours. Liz Stanley, Birch 10 or Box 138.

A Reminder

Tomorrow noon is the deadline which, if you are interested in the Frost picnic on Saturday, you must have signed up at the Front Desk by

The Road Not Taken

should be, and for this reason maps of the area, which is crammed with logging roads, gravel lanes and beaver ponds, may be picked up at the Front Desk anytime. You know how it goes: Bear left. Bear right. We only have at heart your getting lost.

Today's Mystery Quote:

How often have I lain
beneath rain on a strange roof,
thinking of home.

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Flicks

Tonight at 9:00 in the Barn: The Scarlet Empress. Directed by Joseph von Sternberg, with Marlene Dietrich. 1934 or so. Running time: 109 minutes. The highly romanticized story of Catherine the Great of Russia, featuring decadence, decay and madness.

Tomorrow night: Shall We Dance? with Fred Astaire & Ginger Rogers doing their thing. 1937. 116 minutes. Mark Sandrich, director. Tunes, Gershwin.

Sunday night, in place of Belle de Jour, a memorable film, we have the no-comparison Meet John Doe, directed by Frank Capra, with Barbara Stanwyck and Gary Cooper up front. 1941. 123 minutes. Take your chances with this one.

Tomorrow and Tomorrow and Tomorrow

is the is the is the Frost-farm picnic. Tickets are on sale all day today for those without board contracts at Bread Loaf. All intending to go, with or without tickets, should sign up today at the Front Desk.

Frog Hollow Craft Center

representatives will be in the Barn today from 2:00--3:30pm to discuss courses at the Center (weaving, metal work, pottery, painting, engraving, silk screen, plaster block printing) and to enroll students, teenage and adult. Frog Hollow is located 20 minutes-away in Middlebury.

Little Theatre

A reminder that Paint Crew Call is at 2pm today. All workers welcome.

1972 Graduates

will have a class meeting after lunch today in the Blue Parlor.

18th-Century Novel Students

Anyone who purchased Vol. 2 of Clarissa actually has Vol. 4 with a Vol. 2 paper jacket on it. We have ordered the correct edition and will exchange your copy for it. Please return the falsely-labelled books to the Bookstore as soon as possible.

Baseball, Unisexual

The second installment of the six-part drama featuring the BL Upper-Crusters and Roger Cooney's Townies will be presented at 2:00pm on Sunday afternoon. Once again a doubleheader is scheduled, and spectators are most welcome. Drivers are reminded to move their cars to the west of the line of trees.

Post Office

On Saturdays only, mail posted Sat. PM must be in the Front Office by 2:00pm.

TMQ:

If you don't like my peaches
Don't you shake my tree.

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Vol. 53, No. 8 Bread Loaf School of English July 10, 1972

Lecture

Tomorrow night at 7:30 in the Little Theatre Mr. Michael Cooke will give a lecture entitled "Redemption, or Limitless Liability: the Play of Consequence from Chaucer to Conrad."

Flick

Tonight at 9:00 in the Barn: Rules of the Game, directed by Jean Renoir. 1939. 113 minutes. Study of a society, ours perhaps, run according to the rules, not values.

Dance

Dance class will meet in the Barn today at 4pm. Wear loose, comfortable clothing.

Jobs

May we urge that any student needing a job for next fall (1) leave his name with Miss Becker and (2) register with the Middlebury Placement Office (please see Mr. Perine's letter & list of job openings on the bulletin board). A hopeful note -- sometimes job offers come thr ough late in August.

Top Secret

A high administrative source, who wishes to remain anonymous for the time being, has given strong indications that secret negotiations are currently under-way in an attempt to resolve an issue that has divided two major segments of the campus population. It is reported that a break-through is imminent and that an announcement may be forthcoming within the next 24 hours.

Sic Transit Gloria Mundi

The Upper-Crusters lost a double-header to Cooney's Townies yesterday afternoon 6-5, 19-6. Team fron-office officials refused comment on a rumor that a major shake-up is in the offing on the managerial level if the team does not right itself, but it is known that dissatisfaction with the team's failure to produce a winning record exists. An undisclosed source has indicated that stockholders are quite unhappy with the club's 1-3 record and have demanded a thorough review of the current scholarship program.

Crew Calls

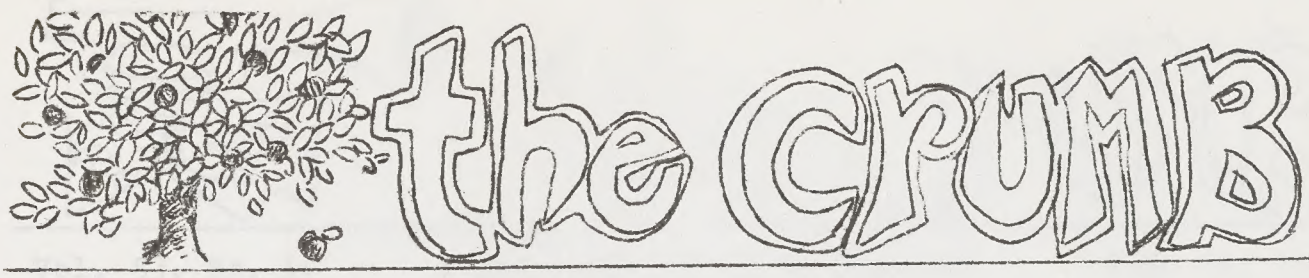
for this week are posted in the Little Theatre office. Crew workers check your happy hours.

1973 Degree Candidates

Please sign the paper on the bulletin board if, by the end of this summer, you expect to have accumulated 15 or more credits at Bread Loaf. Then see Miss Becker at your earliest convenience.

BL Women's Softball Team

Practice rained out until Tuesday after dinner. Wine party afterwards with men's team. All potential team members also welcome.



Vol. 53, No. 9 Bread Loaf School of English July 11, 1972

Lecture

Tonight at 7:30 in the Little Theatre Prof. Michael Cooke will lecture on "Redemption, or Limitless Liability: the Play of Consequence from Chaucer to Conrad." Mr. Cooke, who has taught at Berkeley, the University of Iowa, and Boston University, is currently Professor of English and Director of Undergraduate Studies in English at Yale. He was editor of Studies in Romanticism from 1969-71, and is now editor of Modern Black Novelists: A Collection of Critical Essays. In addition to articles on romantic and modern subjects, he is author of The Blind Man Traces the Circle: On The Patterns and Philosophy of Byron's Poetry.

The BL Pro Musica

will serenade the Snack Bar patrons with Frolic-some and Melodious Madrigals this afternoon at four. Sopranos are nice. Rehearse with us.

Books

The following are now available in the Bookstore:

1) Our Town --- Thorton Wilder
for Design & Costume Course #128
2) I and Thou --- Martin Buber
for Theatre Games Course # 124
3) Essays in Shakespearian Criticism
ed. Toliver & Calderwood
for Shakespeare Course #28

Art supplies for Mr. Maddox's course are also in -- those 2H pencils you've all been waiting for.

One copy of Clarissa with the Vol. 2 cover has still not been returned to the Bookstore. Would whoever has it please return it: a Vol. 4 in disguise.

Shoes

The LT needs 3 pairs of men's black shoes (size 11½) for use in the one-act plays. If you have a pair and can lend them to drama Monday-Saturday, Sherry will be glad to hear about it.

Intrigue

Although no official announcement was forthcoming, it was learned that yesterday's heavy rains have forced a delay in the final round of negotiations designed to restore harmony between the two opposing factions on campus. It is believed now that Thursday's Crumb will be the first to announce the much-hoped-for accords.

Vets

Will all the Veterans at BL this summer please report their presence to Miss Becker (plus proper papers & C#). In July you will get a miniscule check for June 28-30; the first week in August you will be paid for July; the check for August 1-12 will be sent in October.

Reminder

The Library will be closed during Prof. Cooke's lecture tonight, but will open immediately after.

TMQ: Thus shaken up, the old instrument, whose strings buzzed, could be heard at the other end of the village when the window was open, and often the bailiff's clerk, passing along the highroad bare-headed and in list slippers, stopped to listen, his sheet of paper in his hand.

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Vol. 53, No. 10 Bread Loaf School of English July 12, 1972

Flick

Tonight at 9:00 in the Barn: The Grapes of Wrath, with Henry Fonda (Jane and Peter's father), Jane Darwell and John Carradine. Directed by John Ford. 1940. 115 minutes. On loan from Steinbeck's book, the Joads spin dust from Oklahoma to California. Hard times.

Dateline: The Summit

In a surprise secret session held during last night's lecture (obviously designed by THE DIRECTOR to keep the press distracted), the chief negotiators of the BL Feminist Movement and the Male Chauvinist Pigs (the UpperCrusters) broke a ten-day deadlock to reach agreement on a meeting between sports representatives of both camps. A softball game will be played on Friday afternoon at 2:30pm. Details of the agreement will be announced by Press Secretaries as the week progresses. Bread Loafers are urged to attend to lend support to their respective sides. Fans: BYOB.

1973 Degree Candidates

should see Miss Becker immediately in the Secretary's Office.

Crew Call

All painters, experienced and inexperienced, are invited to join the theatre paint crew today 2-5pm in the Little Theatre.

Dance Class

will meet today in the Barn at 4:00pm. The kids' dance class will meet tomorrow at 4:00 in front of the Barn.

Books

The following are now available in the Bookstore:

1) The Blithdale Romance -- Nathaniel Hawthorne
   for Hawthorne-Faulkner course # 132
2) The House of Seven Gables -- Hawthorne
   for Hawthorne-Faulkner course # 132
3) Penguin Book of Spanish Verse
   &
   The Metaphysical Poets (Penguin)
   for Mannerist, Metaphysical & Baroque Lyric Poetry, course # 68
4) The Merry Wives of Windsor -- Shakespeare
   for Design & Costume course # 128
5) The Birthday Party -- Harold Pinter
   for Design & Costume course #128
6) Foundations of Modern Literary Judgment
   -Schorer, Miles, McKenzie
   for Modern Literary Criticism course #1

Practice Makes Perfect

Remember the Gilmore Pre-party? That was just for practice. The real thing is this Saturday night right after the flickers: the 3rd Annual Gilmore Beer Blast. We supply the keg & cups (and perhaps a jug of wine or two) to get things flowing. You bring yourself and whatever's necessary to keep the party swinging 'til Sunday (more booze, gents). All faculty & students cordially invited.

Addenda

Alison Sommers, the Crumb's graceful calligrapher (and Artist-in-Residence) was omitted from yesterday's Address List. Please add her name and address (Box 1318, Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vt. 05753) to page 7 of your list, under Kitchen Help.

TMQ:

You expected to be sad in the fall.

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BL School of English, The First Fifty Years

For the occasion of Bread Loaf's fiftieth session, Dean Paul Cubeta invited Dr. George K. Anderson, distinguished senior member of our faculty, to write out his impressions of the School as they have developed over the years. The result is a captivating account of Bread Loaf legendry and folklore. The First Fifty Years is available in a paperback edition at the Bookstore and Dr. Anderson has kindly consented to autograph any copies. For new students this is a rich chronicle of Bread Loaf life, such as it is, such as it will become.

Paint Crew

will be at work from 2:00-5:00pm today. Volunteers welcome.

BookNotes

Now available in the Bookstore, for the Poetry of Spenser course, # 79, The Complete Poetical Works of Spenser. Also, any students who have not yet bought all books for their courses: please check with the Bookstore to see if texts you may need in future weeks are available. If not, they should be ordered at least 2 weeks in advance.

Two Afghans,

hand-crocheted, and a poncho, hanging in the Front Office, which have been For Sale, and have not been, sadly, sold, still are. For sal

Answers

to previous Mystery Quotes, are, in reverse order: A Moveable Feast, Hemingway; Madame Bovary, Flaubert; a traditional blues lyric; As I Lay Dying, Faulkner. Others shall follow.

TMQ:

The greatest poverty is not to live
In a physical world, to feel that one's desire
Is too difficult to tell from despair.

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Flicks

Tonight in the Barn: Ball of Fire, a Howard Hawks comedy starring Gary Cooper and Barbara Stanwyck. She is a nightclub dancer. He is trying to compile a dictionary of slang. 1941. 111 minutes. Get into it.

Saturday night: Seven Brides For Seven Brothers, directed by Stanley Donen. A musical comedy set in the Oregon Territory, offering foot-stomping, barn-raisings and goings-on. Consider the possibilities. 1954. 102 minutes. With Jane Powell & Howard Keel.

On Sunday Hail the Conquering Hero, but quietly, for 100 minutes or so. Preston Sturges' satire of small-town patriotism, starring Eddie Bracken and Ella Raines. 1944.

All Bread Loafers

are reminded of today's crucial softball game, starting time 2:30. The contest will be nine innings; no sliding will be allowed; the MCPs will play normal depth when in the field. Several members of the faculty are expected to bolster the Female squad. Fans are urged to attend and cheer on their favorites (reminder to non-players: BYOB). Drivers are asked to park cars west of the tree line.

In an exclusive interview with the Crumb this morning, Bart Giamatti (General Manager of the girls' team) expressed confidence that his squad would make "a very creditable showing" in today's game. "They have," he commented, "a lot of potential depth." Jim Mirollo (Co-General Manager) admitted that his past experience as as a pitcher for Gimbel's Department Store could make the difference in the competition.

1972 Degree Candidates:

Please see Rick Pagano in the Blue Room today between 1:30 and 2:30 for cap and gown measurements.

LT Crew Call

today from 2-5 and perhaps Saturday morning to complete construction and painting on one-act sets. Work available for talented and untalented painters. Many hands today would mean no crew call tomorrow.

Will the Following

students please check with Miss Becker today:

Elizabeth Bailey	Jim Lyons
Cyndy Hearn	Albert Reilly
Stan Carmichael	

BookNotes

Now available: Essays and Poems -- Ralph Waldo Emerson
for Images of History in American Literature, course #137
and we now stock cartridges for Parker pens.

Gilmore Party

is still on: Saturday after movie. It is suggested, because of the parking problem and other obvious reasons, that people arrange to ride in with Gilmorites or (better yet) walk. It's only ½ mile!

More Softball

The UpperCrusters will again host the Townies on Sunday afternoon after dinner. Doubleheader.

Bread & Puppet Theatre,

a puppet troupe from Goddard College known for its imaginative satiric drama, will perform Sunday at 7:00pm on the Middlebury College campus (outside behind the Battells). Free.

Garbage

Please take care that the paper, cartons, cups and plates of your consumption end in the proper barrels, baskets and cans. On the Mountain a little litter blows a long way.

TMQ

Pray for rain.

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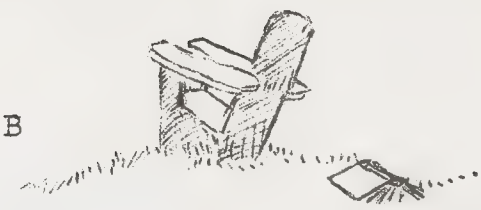

Vol. 53, No. 13 Bread Loaf School of English July 17, 1972

Flick

Tonight: Shadow of a Doubt, one of the great Hitchcock films, with Joseph Cotten and Teresa Wright. 1943. 108 minutes. Variations on a theme of murder. Screenplay by Thornton Wilder.

The Policy

for seat reservations at the plays will be the same as they were last year for the final play. No tickets will be distributed. Read the Crumb Wednesday for information on reserving seats. (Faculty -- please see Dottie early this week for your reservations).

Dance

There will be dance class this afternoon and Wednesday as usual (4 o'clock in the Barn). However, there will not be a children's work shop this Thursday.

1972 Degree Candidates

Please see Rick Pagano or Kay Bennett in the Blue Parlor today from 1:30 to 3:00pm for cap and gown measurements. If you plan to purchase a hood, please bring funds.

A Reminder

that Wednesday, July 19, is the last day on which a change of course from credit to audit may be made.

Sexism, Cont.

On Friday afternoon the MCPs (UpperCrusters), batting from the opposite side of the plate, soundly trounced the BL Feminists, 25-2. When asked by a Ms. for a return contest, S.J. Jim Kane replied, "Get thee to a nunnery!"

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The UpperCrusters continued their disastrous Sunday play, losing another doubleheader to Cooney's Townies, 8-2, 15-9.

SOS From the Library

Still missing from the permanent Bread Loaf collection are several books listed previously in the Crumb. Newly missing are several others that have since vanished from the shelves. Please check your private shelves for any of the following books:

Arnold -- The Study of Poetry
Auden -- Selected Poetry
Barnstone -- Modern European Poetry
Bloom -- English Romantic Poetry
Coleridge -- Selected Poems
Edmonds -- The Greek Bucolic Poets, c.2
Ellman-Feidelson -- The Modern Tradition
Graves -- Collected Poems 1966
Hawthorne -- Complete Novels & Selected Tales
Jusserand -- The English Novel in the Time of Shakespeare
Nitchie -- The Criticism of Literature
Turnbull -- Ten Centuries of Spanish Poetry

White Coat Brigade:
You Volunteer, We Train

Anyone who would be willing to substitute for a waiter for an occasional meal should contact the headwaiter at the evening meal. Compensation in small coin ($1.50 per meal) and gratitude. Should have endurance, compassion, sacrifice.

Addenda

Middlebury College Library hours:

Weekdays -- 8am-10pm
Saturday -- 9am-5pm
Sunday -- 2pm-10pm

the Crumb

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Books
now available in the Bookstore:

1) Poetry of the Victorian Period, for course #10
2) Arcadia & Pescatory Eclogues, for course #136
3) Selected Tales & Sketches (Hawthorne), for course #132
4) Selected Prose of Washington Irving, for course #137
5) Absalom! Absalom! (Faulkner)
   &
   Go Down Moses (Faulkner), for course #132

A Reminder
that tomorrow, July 19, is the last day on which a change of course from credit to audit may be made without the penalty of automatic failure.

Placement Office
All Bread Loaf students are eligible to file a dossier with the Middlebury College Placement Office. Their service will mail dossiers to prospective employers whenever requested by the student. A registratic fee will be exacted. Those interested may phone the PO at 388-4923.

A list of job openings for applicants with English backgrounds (subject, not country) has recently been compiled by the Office, which same is posted on our bulletin board.

1972 D Candidates
Today is your last chance for measurements of caps and gowns: from 1:30 to 2:00 in the Blue Parlor. Be there.

Laundry:
after lunch today.

TMQ:

> It was an oil on unframed canvas depicting two misbehaving nudes, boy and girl, in an ivied or vined grotto or near a small waterfall overhung with bronze-tinted and dark emerald leaves, and great bunches of translucent grapes, the shadows and limpid reflections of fruit and foliage blending magically with veined flesh.

THE CRUMB

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Flick

Tonight: Strangers on a Train. A Hitchcock classic, starring Farley Granger and Robert Walker. 1951. 101 minutes. Very fine.

Show Buzz

Bread Loaf Little Theatre will light up the Mountain this weekend with its first productions of the summer. The Loveliest Afternoon of the Year, Out at Sea, and The Innocent Party will play Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights with curtain at 8:30pm. Please be prompt. Reserved seats will be forfeited to standees at curtain time.

Bread Loaf students may reserve seats the day they are planning to attend the plays by tagging chairs. The theatre will be closed after classes for preparation. House reservations will be tagged and then the house will be opened for BL people at the following times:

Thursday -- 2:30pm
Friday -- 2:00pm
Saturday -- 9:15am

Bring your own paper and scotch tape.

Books

now available in the Bookstore:

1) Tartuffe -- Moliere, for course #128
2) Three Greek Romances -- Hadas, for course #136
3) Eclogues, Georgics, Aeneid, vol. I -- Virgil, for #136
4) The Greek Bucolic Poets -- Theocritus, for #136
5) Clarissa -- Richardson, for course #132

Despite Their Razor-Edge Loss

in last Friday's game, the Bread Loaf Honey Buns play again Friday at 2:30 and practice tonight at 7:30. Any new members welcome.

Because of the UpperCrusters fear and loathing of a re-match, everyone is invited to come Friday and pit themselves against the team's titanic fielding and hitting powers.

Despite Pleas

to clean up the campus, litter continues to blow at Bread Loaf. Please: keep Vermont clean and green. Leave your urban habits in urbia

The gentlemen of Cherry Cottage
request the Honor of your Presence
at the third annual

VERY MERRY CHERRY SHERRY PARTY

to be held on the lawn of Cherry
on Saturday, the nineteenth of July
immediately following a dinner
to be held in the Inn

THE CRUMB

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Flicks

Following is the revised schedule of movies for the BL Cinema:

Friday(July 21) --- No Movie
Sunday(July 23) --- On the Town
Monday(July 24) --- Picnic on the Grass
Tuesday(July 25) --- No Way Out
Wednesday(July 26) --- While the City Sleeps

The 100-Yard Dash

to reserve seats will begin promptly at 2:30 today, 2:00 Friday, and 9:15am Saturday. Wear your track shoes, bring your own tags and scotch tape.

Curtain time each night is 8:30. Reserved seats will not be held after 8:30.

Tunes

"Shoot, false love, I care not,
Spend thy shafts and spare not"

Madrigals in the Barn at four.

Cherry Sherry

A good sherris-sack hath a two-fold operation in it. It ascends me into the brain; drives me there all the foolish and dull and crudy vapours which environ it; makes it apprehensive, quick, forgetive, full of nimble fiery and delectable shapes; which, delivered o'er to the voice, the tongue, which is the birth, becomes excellent wit. The second property of your excellent sherris is, the warming of the blood...
(Henry IV, part II, IV, iii)

A correction of yesterday's Crumb announcement concerning the Very Merry Cherry Sherry Party: it will be held not Saturday but tomorrow, Friday, from 5-6 and 6:30-8, on the lawn and porch of Cherry Cottage. Special guest: Falstaff.

BL Masked Ball

Tired of saying hello and being said hello to? Weary with your own clothes and too familiar with the possible permutations of everyone else's? Drop that ego! Come to the first annual Bread Loaf Masked Ball, Saturnalia, and Mixed Doubles Jamboree at the Barn, Saturday night at 11:00.

Don't dress up. Pick up a piece of black felt at the Theatre Friday from 2-3 (10¢), make your own mask, borrow someone's shirt, someone else's pants, Bart Giamatti's cane, Paul Gray's cigarette, and Leo Braudy's hair -- and assemble a new self from the fragments of old ones. No one in propria persona will be admitted.

Notice

Car owners are advised to close their windows against the mosquito spray which will, it seems, cover the campus this afternoon.

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About the Authors:

JOHN GUARE (The Loveliest Afternoon of the Year) is 32 years old and has won every major playwrighting award in New York. He was awarded a Tony and the New York Drama Critics Circle award for his rock musical version of Two Gentlemen of Verona, which is approaching its second year on Broadway. His off-Broadway plays, The House of Blue Leaves and Muzeeka, won Obies and NY Drama Critics awards. He is presently writing the screenplay for The House of Blue Leaves, which will be filmed by Carlo Ponti. Two other plays, Cop-Out and Home Fires, were presented on Broadway. The Loveliest Afternoon of the Year, one of his first plays, has been presented off-off-Broadway.

SLAWOMIR MROZEK (Out at Sea) at 42, is the leading playwright of modern Poland. He recently emerged as one of Europe's major new dramatists with the international success of his full-length play, Tango, in its London, New York, Paris, Dusseldorf, and Warsaw productions. He studied architecture and painting, and has worked as a journalist for various Polish newspapers and periodicals. In 1957 his collection of satirical sketches, The Elephant, was awarded the Polish State Cultural Review's annual literary prize.

JOHN HAWKES (The Innocent Party) has written such novels as The Lime Twig, The Cannibal, The Beatle Leg, and a collection of short stories called Lunar Landscapes. The Innocent Party was written while he was playwright-in-residence at the San Francisco Actors' Workshop, where he worked with Herbert Blau. He now teaches at Brown University in R.I.

"Innocence is on the limb,
ripe for perversion."

THE CRUMB

Vol. 53, No. 17 Bread Loaf School of English July 21, 1972

Flick

Sunday night: On the Town. Gene Kelly and Frank Sinatra on a dance marathon in New York, to the tunes of Leonard Bernstein. Directed by Gene Kelly & Stanley Donen. 1949. 98 minutes.

Seats

The Little Theatre will be opened for the tagging of seats at 2:00 today and 9:15am tomorrow. Be at the doors for the opening; the good seats are taken immediately.

Directive

The Cherry Sherry Party is today from 5-6 and 6:30-8 on the porch and/or lawn of Cherry cottage. Here are your waters and your watering place. Drink and be whole again beyond confusion.

Persona

Hot news from the Masquerade/Saturnalia/Mixed Doubles Jamboree: Remember: elaborate costume is just more ego assertion. Shed that skin. Be nobody. Be somebody. Just don't be yourself. Ask an unknown other to slow dance. No one will be held responsible for anything. MASKS, 2-3 today at the Theatre.

Paisano

The Pasta School of English announces the Italian 4th of July Picnic -- to be held Friday, 28 July at Texas Falls. Sausage, antipasto and "some of that red stuff" will be served. Price of 1800 lire ($3.00 per) payable to Gloria Alfieri, Nancy Amori, or Rey Buono. Members outside the Family are welcome.

Vibes (Good)

Aoh Babe! The Bread Loaf news team crumbled their way to Boston Wednesday to see the Stones' historic Boston appearance; drove through lightning and gully-swamping rain, swerved around cracked and crashing trees. Grooving with the Midnight Rambler, flashing with jumping Jack. Don't believe AP & UPI -- good vibes everywhere. Peace, brother & sister. Well, all right!

Vibes (Bad)

Richardson's Clarissa has disappeared from its shelf in the Library. It is needed for Mr. Braudy's class. Please return it.

Coming next week: Bargain Book Sale.

Needed

A guitar to be used in Uncle Vanya. Contact Elaine Rosenberg, Box 123.

TMQ

"She would of been a good woman...if it had been somebody there to shoot her every minute of her life."

the crumb

Vol. 53, No. 18 Bread Loaf School of English July 24, 1972

Flick

Beginning with tomorrow night's movie, show time at the BL Cinema will be 8:30 pm. Tonight: Picnic on the Grass, directed by Jean Renoir, with English subtitles. 91 minutes. 1959. An indolent pastoral in Provence, shot in the luminous style of that other Renoir.

Independent Winter Reading Project

Students who wish to pursue Independent Winter Reading Projects during the winter of 1973 should design their proposed project in consultation with a member of the faculty in whose field of special competenc the project falls. Students are asked to submit to Mr. Cubeta by August 3rd a statement of the thesis, a list of the books to be read and bibliography of secondary sources, if any. Final approval is granted by early October and is contingent upon receiving the approval of the instructor and a grade of 90 or better in the area of the project. Details on the IWRP can be found on page 29 of the Bread Loaf Bulletin. In 1973 a tuition fee of $100 will be charged for the program.

Dance Class

will meet this afternoon at 4pm in the Barn.

Paisanos:

Lire for the Boccaccio Bash must be paid by Wednesday. The not-solely Family Affair begins at 5pm this Friday.

Ignominy

The UpperCrusters lost a pair of tight ball games yesterday to Cooney's boys, 10-5 and 5-4. Playing their best game of the season on a soggy field, the team made few errors, but -- alas! -- few runs.

TMQ

...many books
Were skimmed, devoured, or studiously perused,
But with no settled plan. I was detached
Internally from academic cares.
Yet independent study seemed a course
Of hardy disobedience toward friends
And kindred, proud rebellion and unkind.

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Vol. 53, No. 19 Bread Loaf School of English July 25, 1972

Flick

Tonight at 8:30 in the Barn: No Way Out, starring Richard Widmark, Linda Darnell, Sidney Poitier, and Ruby Dee. Prejudice, hatred and bigotry before the cold eye of director Joseph Mankiewicz. 106 minutes. 1950. Poitier, pre-Heat, pre-Dinner, is oppressed.

Coming Attraction

Rachel Trickett, Fellow and Tutor, St. Hugh's College, Oxford, and University Lecturer, Oxford University, will lecture on the poetry of Thomas Hardy on Monday, August 7, for the annual Elizabeth Drew Lecture.

Final Exam Schedule

8:30 classes	Thursday am, August 10	9:00-12:00
9:30 classes	Thursday pm, August 10	2:00-5:00
10:30 classes	Friday am, August 11	9:00-12:00
11:30 classes	Friday pm, August 11	2:00-5:00

Wednesday, August 9, will be, at the instructor's option, either a lecture or a free reading day.

The exam for Course 133 (Emerson, Thoreau, Frost) will be held Thursday pm in Room 5.

Madrigals

today in the Barn at 4pm.

Reminder

Coin ($3) for the Italian Picnic, scheduled for Friday at Texas Falls, is due tomorrow. Pay Gloria Alfieri, Nancy Amori, or Rey Buono

THE CRUMB

Vol. 53, No. 20 Bread Loaf School of English July 26, 1972

Flick

Tonight, 8:30 in the Barn: While the City Sleeps, a suspense thriller directed by Fritz Lang, with Dana Andrews & Rhonda Fleming. Newspapermen and newspaperwomen compete for a top job by tracking down a psychotic slayer of women. Parable of American life. 100 min. 1956.

Books

Now available in the Bookstore:

1) Essays in Shakespearian Criticism -- Loliver & Calderwood
for course #28
2) Karl Marx -- Early Writings
for course #1

Bake Sale

The Ripton Ladies will sponsor their annual bake sale tomorrow, on the lawn in front of the Inn, starting at 11:00am. Get there early.

BL Student Profile

This year's total student enrollment is 215 (104 men, 111 women), with 49 of that number living off-campus. There are 120 former students and 95 new, compared with last year's count of 150 former, 69 new. The average student age is 31; the median age is 28.

Bread Loaf's 215 students represent 141 colleges. Middlebury leads with 15 alumni, while Dartmouth, Merrimack College, Nazareth College of Rochester, Vassar and Smith are tied for 2nd place with 4 grads each. Of the 29 states represented on the Mountain this summer, the high scorers are Mass. (44), New York (32), Penn. & Vt. (19 each), Conn. (17) and New Jersey (14).

Paisanos

Today is the last day. Pay Gloria Alfieri, pay Nancy Amori, or pay Rey.

Dance Class

will meet today, as usual, in the Barn at 4:00. However, dance class for the kids will not be held, as usual, tomorrow.

Explosive

position available for an MA "who is dynamite in the classroom" at William Floyd Schools in Suffolk County, N.Y.. For further details see Miss Becker.

Other current English openings, compiled by the Middlebury College Placement Office July 25th, are posted on the bulletin board.

TMQ

...the toilets of the poor always made noise.

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Copies
of The Poetry Miscellany are available in the Bookstore. The magazine is edited by Richard Jackson and Kurt Heinzelman; Dennis Richards handles distribution. Recent issues include poems by Robert Pack, William Meredith, Maxine Kumin, Miller Williams, Jack Anderson; also included are several reviews and an interview with Mr. Meredith.

Paint Crew Call
All painters on the Mountain, of whatever ability, are invited to the Little Theatre today from 2-5 to begin work on the Vanya set.

Also Needed
are 4 or 5 people willing to be around the LT each night from Sunday through Saturday to help change scenery & props for the Uncle Vanya production. Run Crew involves 10-20 minutes work between each act with long intervals during which reading can be done in the theatre office. See Dottie or Doug in the LT if you are willing to donate your time next week.

Change of Address
for Suzanne L. Smith: 122 Edgelawn Ave., Apt. 4, North Andover, Mass. 01845.

Reminder
Those leaving Bread Loaf for the weekend are asked to sign out at the Front Desk.

Answers to TMQ
From Crumb No. 11 ('The greatest poverty is not to live/ In a physical world...'), Esthetique du Mal, Wallace Stevens; from No. 14 ('It was an oil on unframed canvas depicting two misbehaving nudes...'), Ada, Vladimir Nabokov; from No. 17 (' 'She would of been a good woman ...if it had been somebody there to shoot her every minute of her life.' '), the Misfit speaking in 'A Good Man Is Hard to Find' by Flannery O'Connor; from No. 18 ('...many books/ Were skimmed, devoured ...'), The Prelude, Book VI, Wordsworth; from No. 20 ('...the toilets of the poor always made noise.'), Herzog, Saul Bellow.

TMQ

Get all the gold and silver that you can,
Satisfy ambition, animate
The trivial days and ram them with the sun...

the crumb

Vol. 53, No. 22 Bread Loaf School of English July 28, 1972

Flicks

Tonight at 8:30: On the Waterfront. Director: Elia Kazan. Starring Marlon Brando, Rod Steiger, Eva Marie Saint, Lee J. Cobb. Score by Leonard Bernstein. The corrupt and the criminal (plus pigeons), shot on the docks of NY. Tough film about vicious impulse. 108 min. 1954.

Saturday night at 8:15 popular demand presents a slide show of the Bread Loaf campus in winter, directed & narrated by Ryder Smith, BL resident-in-residence.

At 8:30 see Murder, He Says, violence of a genial sort with Fred MacMurray & Helen Walker. Directed by George Marshall in 1945. 94 minutes. Fred, on survey in hillbilly hills, becomes target for two clans upon discovering their cache of stolen loot.

Sunday, the first double-feature of the BL Cinema, starting at 8:30, with a ten-minute intermission between:

The Pirate, No. 1, with Judy Garland & Gene Kelly. Directed by Vincente Minnelli. 1948. 102 minutes. Luxuriant song and dance in the South Seas. Color.

Trouble in Paradise, No. 2, by Ernst Lubitsch. 1932. 86 minutes. Miriam Hopkins & Herbert Marshall play a wealthy & glamorous Parisienne and a con man in this lively & sophisticated delight.

Kick It Out

Tonight from 10-2 in the Johnson Art Building on the Middlebury College campus, you can stomp & shout to tunes by The Bull, a live rock band. Admission $1.75 per person. To be provided: 8 kegs of beer.

Baseball

Again this Sunday afternoon at 2:00 the UpperCrusters will meet Cooney's boys in valiant contest, however vain. Be there for a dazzling display of line drives, pop flies & put-outs.

TMQ

> The horror of the twentieth century was the size of each new event, and the paucity of its reverberation.

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Vol. 53, No. 23 Bread Loaf School of English July 31, 1972

Flick

Tonight at 8:30: Attack! Directed by Robert Aldrich. 1956. 107 minutes. With Lee Marvin & Jack Palance. Enough said.

1972 Candidates

are asked to sign up for the Senior Banquet at the Front Office.

Sunshine & Thunder

In a spectacular reversal of form, the UpperCrusters broke a seven-game losing streak by sweeping a doubleheader from Cooney's Townies, 15-9 and 14-5. Booming bats and slick fielding carried the day for Mgr. Paul Campbell's charges. Highlights included two clutch tag plays at the plate by catcher Jim Cubeta, Robinsonian plays at third by Andy Rasbury, and fielding gems by SS Doug Harper and 2nd baseman John Boynton. At bat, S.J. Jim Kane's 8 hits led the way as Chris Martin, Mgr. Campbell, Dave Koret, and Bob Scaramella contributed power and consistency. The UpperCrusters, 3-7, will conclude their 1972 season next Sunday afternoon at 2:00pm.

SUNDAY SOFTBALL SIDELIGHTS: The players were most appreciative for the fine reception given them at Sunday dinner upon announcement of their DH wins....Rumor had it that the Director, so pleased with the victories, had to be restrained from cancelling classes this week and abolishing exams for all participants.

From the Library

Once again -- please help us to find the following books, still missing from the Library:

Auden -- Selected Poetry
Barnstone -- Modern European Poetry
Bloom -- English Romantic Poetry
Borges -- Ficciones
Cook -- The Dimensions of Robert Frost
Ellmann-Feidelson -- The Modern Tradition
Graves -- Collected Poems - 1966
Hawthorne -- Complete Novels & Selected Tales
Nims -- Poems of St. John of the Cross
Nitchie -- The Criticism of Literature
Turnbull -- Ten Centuries of Spanish Poetry
Underhill -- Mysticism

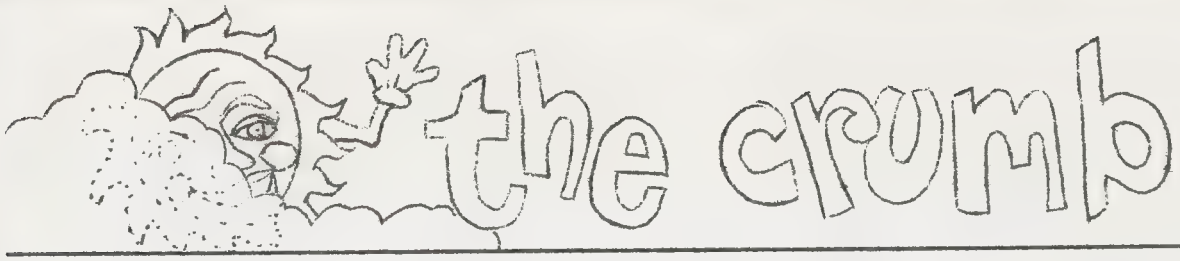
Coming Wednesday: Bargain Book Sale. Details in Tuesday's Crumb.

Notice

A few copies of New York the Nine Million and Other Poems, by Herb Martin, have arrived for those interested parties.

Request

At your places at lunch you will find a questionnaire. It would be very much appreciated if you could take time to answer it, in part or in full. It need not be signed.



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Transcripts

Grade cards will be sent to all students about two weeks after school closes. Those who wish official transcripts for the current summer -- or for their entire Bread Loaf career -- should make out a transcript request form in the Secretary's Office. Such transcripts will be sent out from the Middlebury College Registrar's Office at the end of the session.

Book Sale

Wednesday, at 10am, the little old ladies from Rip-off will have their wares displayed on the library porch. Such bourgeois pornography as The Rise of Silas Lapham, The Moon and Sixpence, The Ordeal of Richard Feveral, & Dark Arena by that darling of the M---a, Mario Puzo, will be ripped from the library shelves and SOLD.

Many of these fine books have never been 'used.' Their charms are yet maiden, rural. Some covers have never even been cracked -- the bane of librarians. Come get the ms. you always wanted:

one act plays -- 2 for 5¢
2 to 3 act plays -- 5¢ each
all others range from 5¢ to 25¢ each
as whimsy struck

Remember: Information is Power!

1972 Degree Candidates

are asked to sign up for the Senior Banquet at the Front Office. Undergraduates are also invited to sign up for the Banquet if they are planning to remain on the Mountain through graduation.

Bills

There remain a few unpaid newspaper bills which should be settled at the Front Desk. Subscribers, please check to see if your credit is good, bad or indifferent.

Madrigals

Today in the Barn at 4.

TMQ

If fondling takes place in public at all it should be discreet, unembarrassing to the most conversative in the group.

THE CRUMB

Vol. 53, No. 25 Bread Loaf School of English August 2, 1972

Flick

Tonight: Shoot the Piano Player, by Francois Truffaut. 1960. 92 minutes. With Charles Aznavour & Nicole Berger. Charles plays an upright. B&W, with subtitles.

Reservations

for Uncle Vanya will be made, as usual, by tagging seats on the day you plan to attend. Doors will open Thursday at 2pm, Friday at 2pm, and Saturday at 9am.

Library Book Sale

Dare we say it? The library has been hit with a mandate from the Loyal Anti-Pornographic Doers of Good (LAPDOG), Ripton Branch. Either we sell off our accumulated porno or they will subject us to a royal rip-off from Ripton (the agonizing adversity of an Agnew oration).

Our sale, on the library porch, continues. Such pieces as Point of No Return (Marquand), Lord of the Flies, and The Rise of Silas Lapham Continued, must be SOLD. Some other items bare nothing at all; but they were listed on the ten-volume computer print-out of core porno given us by one SON of a LAPDOG. Ipso diddy, they too must go. The price of said items are lurid enough to undercut the market.

Mailing Address

In your boxes you will find a card on which to indicate any change in your permanent mailing address. Please do not neglect to answer the question at the bottom of the card. We should appreciate your returning these cards immediately either to the Front Desk or to the Secretary's Office.

Dance

There will be no dance class today as regularly scheduled. Instead we will hold one tomorrow, Thursday, at 4pm in the Barn.

Photographs

of Uncle Vanya are being offered for sale at two prices: $10 for publication quality prints, $3 for regular prints, any size up to Time magazine cover. Contact Dottie in the LT to see the proof sheets and place orders.

Reminder

Due to the imminence of final exams, the Library is being more fully utilized. Please remember the students (inside) when you are on the tennis courts (outside).

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Deadline (Seniors)
If you want to save the embarrassment of not being able to have guests seated at the Senior Banquet, please make your reservations at the Front Desk by Friday, August 4, tomorrow. Seniors are asked to keep their guest reservations to four (4) due to lack of space & a limited waiting staff. If more room becomes available we will honor requests as fairly as we can.

Deadline (Undergrads)
Any student planning to remain on the Mountain for the Senior Banquet must sign up at the Front Desk if he(she) wishes to be assured a seat for this annually sold-out affair. Tomorrow is the absolute deadline.

Theatre
will be opened for tagging of seats at 2pm today & tomorrow and 9am Saturday. Bring your own tag and tape.

Contacts
of pictures of The Loveliest Afternoon of the Year and Out at Sea are available for viewing in the LT office. Price per print is $3.

Madrigals
will convene for rehearsal in the Barn today at 4 and in the Blue Parlor this evening at 7:30. There will be a serenade for the assembled throng of music lovers before the play at 8:00 on the West Lawn.

Book Sale (Bookstore)
The Bookstore announces its annual end-of-term book sale. Beginning Monday, August 7, and running through Thursday, August 10, all books will be sold at a 20% discount. Supplies will NOT go on sale.
The Bookstore will close for the summer at 2:30pm on Thursday, August 10. No books or supplies will be sold after that time.

Questionnaires
are no doubt boring, but they do serve a purpose in the hands of the loathed Administration. Please hand yours in today.

Applications for 1973
may be filled out now in the Secretary's Office.

'Down the Mountain'
has set us a deadline for returning corrected address lists. Help. Drop yours in one of our fancy receptacles today (by the mailboxes OR at the Front Desk OR in the Secretary's Office.

On the Road, Either/Or
Will al Bread Loaf residents either (1) expecting guests this (Vanya) weekend or (2) planning departure themselves, please inform the Front Desk. The count of those coming & going aids the kitchen in estimating meal attendance.

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Appointment

Mr. Robert Pack, Julian W. Abernethy Professor of American Literature at Middlebury College, and a member of the Bread Loaf faculty, has been appointed Director of the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference, effective at the close of this summer's Conference. He succeeds John Ciardi, who has been Director since 1955.

Mr. Pack, who has taught in past years at the Writers' Conference, is a former Fulbright Fellow, winner of a National Institute of Arts and Letters Award, a Borestone Mountain Poetry Award, and a National Council of the Arts Award. He has published five books of poetry and a critical study of Wallace Stevens. A new volume of poems is scheduled for publication in 1972.

Lecture

Rachel Trickett, Fellow and Tutor, St. Hugh's College, Oxford, and University Lecturer at Oxford University, will present the Elizabeth Drew Memorial Lecture Monday evening at 7:30. Her topic will be the the poetry of Thomas Hardy.

Flicks

Sunday night: a hyphenated double-feature. At 8:30: One-Eyed Jacks a Brando-starred, Brando-directed flick. With, once again, Karl Malden. 1961. 141 minutes. Marlon plays a con out for revenge, against the backdrops of desert, sea, mountain.

No. 2: Left-Handed Gun, directed by Arthur Penn in 1958. 102 min. Paul Newman as Billy the Kid in what has been called a psychological western. More hunt & kill.

Tagging

of seats for Uncle Vanya will begin at 2pm today and 9am Saturday.

Photos

The photographer will be here this evening to pick up orders for photos from any of this summer's plays. Anyone wishing to order pictures at $3 per print should do so today in the Little Theatre office.

Notice

Monday, August 7, will be the last day to cash checks at the Front Desk.

Change of Address

for Cheryl Smith: RD #3 Case Street, Middlebury, Vt. 05753.

Credit

The Blood Bank in Middlebury has called to express its gratitude to Bread Loaf donors of bright pints in last Monday's blood drive.

TMQ

Upon these reasons, and others of equal weight,
the wise AEolists affirm the gift of BELCHING
to be the noblest act of a rational creature.

the crumb

Vol. 53, No. 28 Bread Loaf School of English August 7, 1972

Lecture

Rachel Trickett will deliver the Elizabeth Drew Memorial Lecture tonight at 7:30 in the Little Theatre. Her topic will be 'Hardy the Poet.' Ms. Trickett, currently Special Lecturer in English Literature at Oxford University, presented the British Academy Wharton Lecture in 1971. She has recently published her sixth novel, A Visit to Timon.

Notice

Today is the last day to cash checks at the Front Desk.

Library Notes

1) All Library books are due on Tuesday, tomorrow.
2) On Tuesday, books may be checked out on a one-day or two-hour basis or for overnight.
3) Beginning at 8:15am Wednesday all books will be on 2-hour reserve so that any students who wish may have a chance to use them again before exams.
4) In addition to the books previously mentioned several times, the following course books have disappeared from the shelves:

   Hopkins -- A Hopkins Reader -- Mr. Anderson #10
   New -- Laurence Sterne as Satirist -- Mr. Braudy #52
   Loeb Library -- The Greek Bucolic Poets
   Mr. Giamatti #136

5) Please return to the Library any Library book you find, in your room or elsewhere.
6) Animal magnetism.

Photos

Anyone wishing to order pictures of any of the plays should do so today in the Little Theatre. Price is $3 per picture.

Dismal Notes

'We met the enemy and we are theirs'

The Upper Crusters concluded their 1972 season on a dismal note yesterday afternoon, losing a DH to the Townies 14-13 (11 inn.) and 6-2. Ironically, Bread Loafers Dave Cubeta & Rick Pagano were instrumental in the Townies' victories, each getting key hits. For the Upper Crusters, Herb Long & John Boynton starred at bat and Doug Harper played brilliantly at shortshop. The team's season record was 3-9.

SUNDAY SOFTBALL SIDELIGHTS: Graduating seniors from this year's squad are Mgr. Paul Campbell, John Boynton, and 'Tutt' Tutwiler.... Returning next year, be the Good Lord & Profs willing, are students Doug Harper, Steve Holt, Jim Kane, Dave Koret, Herb Long, Chris Martin, Jody Porter, Andy Rasbury, Bill Riley, Steve Rosen, Bob Scaramella, Ron Stoj, Dave Wilson & Don Wodock; staff members Jim Cubeta & Rick Pagano; and Prof Paul Gray, all of whom saw action in Sunday doubleheaders for the team. Special team thanks go to Dick Ross & Ryder Smith for their superb cooperation and loyal support, to the many fans who cheered us on, and especially to Mrs. 'A.' for her unfailing attendance and quiet, unwavering optimism, a lesson to us all.

Address Cards

Don' blame the Lord or the P.O. or the College if your grades & the 1973 bulletin go to Alaska instead of Florida. We still need address cards from these dilatory absent-mindees:

Heinzelman, K.	Savale, Z.	Lawrence, J.
Huth, G.	Bell, C.	Senn, T.
Jackson, M. & R.	Soule, M.	Eberle, C.
Kerr, J.	Deimezis, T.	Long, H.
Pender, S.	Goupee, T.	Sullivan, B.
Shuham, S.	Schneider, M.	Hunter, C.
Sullivan, P.	Demong, T.	Handelman, S.
Elliott, C.	Halstead, M.	Porter, J.
Hickey, P.	Jelliffe, S.	

THE CRUMB

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Flick

Tonight at 8:30 in the Barn: Ingmar Bergman's Persona, with Bibi Andersson & Liv Ullmann. 1967. 81 minutes. Mute actress and talkative nurse share a remote beach house. Mind games, Bergman-style. B&W with subtitles.

Madrigal Concert

The BL Pro Musica will perform before the movie tonight, at 7:30 in the Barn. Madrigal tunes from the 16th century will fill the air, as well as several later works. This, the madrigalists' final concert of the summer, offers sweet song at its practiced best.

Caps & Gowns

will be sold in the Bookstore starting this afternoon (Tuesday), thru Thursday, during regular Bookstore hours.(8am - 10am & 1:30 - 2:30pm). The store will be closed for the summer at 2:30 on Thursday.

Anyone who has not picked up his/her cap & gown by that time will not get one.

Bake Sale

Tomorrow at noon, outside the Inn, the Middlebury Methodist Women's Group will sponsor a bake sale. Recommended.

Tips

Starting today (and remaining until Saturday) a tip box for the waiters will be placed beside the dining room door. The idea is to reward with hard coin the sustained miracles of service & good cheer. Give all the gold and silver that you can.

Reading Teacher Needed

for grades 7-8-9 in Norristown, Pa. Good salary, 'nice' teachers, etc., etc. If interested, write James Graham, Principal, Plymouth Junior High School, Bellvoir Road, Norristown, Pa., or call 215-825-1500. Other recent compilations of job openings are posted on the bulletin board.

Madrigal (Practice)

The last one, today at 4 in the Barn.

Departure

Will all students please fill out the departure slip which appears below and return same to the Front Desk. This information is invaluable in helping to arrange accomodations for guests this weekend, as well as providing a rough meal count for the kitchen.

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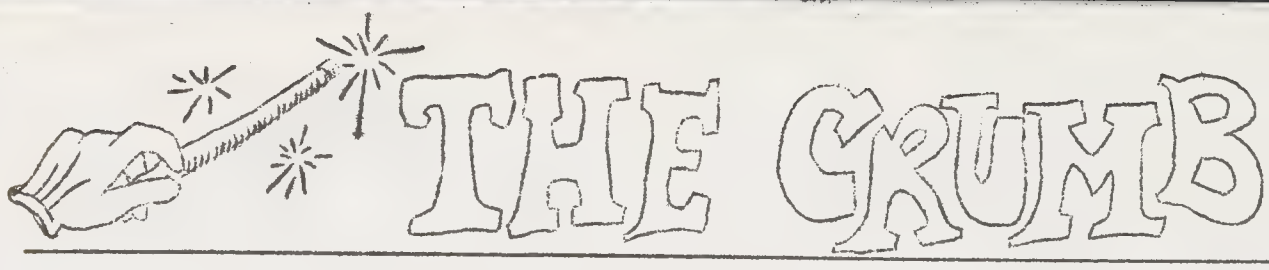
DEPARTURE SLIP

Name_____Dorm_____Room Number_____

Probable date of departure_____Approximate time_____

Will you need transportation off the Mountain? Yes_____No_____

Have you luggage to be shipped (collect)? Yes_____No_____



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Exam Changes

The following three exams, originally scheduled to take place in the Little Theatre, have been relocated: the Shakespeare exam, to Room 1 of the Barn; Contemporary World Drama, Room 1; Introduction to Theatrical Production, Room 5.

From the Library

1) Please remember that ALL books were due at 8:15 this morning and are now on 2-hour reserve. They may be checked out for 2 hours or overnight until the time of the exam for which they are needed.

2) Thursday and Friday the Library will close at 12:30 and re-open at 1:30 so that books may be returned before the afternoon exam.

3) Although the packing of books has to go on during the next 2 days, students are of course welcome to use the Library during the regular hours. We shall endeavor to be as quiet as circumstances will allow, and we shall hope that the numerous packing cases will not afford too many stumbling blocks for readers.

4) And, last, will those people who find in their possession the following books PLEASE return them:

Bloom -- English Romantic Poetry
Ellman-Feidelson -- The Modern Tradition
Graves -- Collected Poems
Hawthorne -- Complete Novels & Selected Tales
Copy 2 -- The Greek Bucolic Poets
Underhill -- Mysticism

Photos

All orders for cast pictures must be in tonight (Uncle Vanya cast).

Will Seniors

please stop at the Front Desk, like today, to arrange their tables for the Senior Banquet?

Caps & Gowns

Seniors who have rented regalia should pick them up today between 1:30 and 2:30 at the Bookstore.

Laundry

Foley's will be here Friday until 3:00, Saturday until noon. Sunday bring laundry to Linen Room in the Inn to get deposit check from Mrs. Smith.

Tips for Maids

may be left at the Front Desk.

Snip, Snip, Snip

Those desiring haircuts (@ $3.00) please check appointment sheet at the Front Desk each day from now until Sunday. Bring a towel & wet head. All wishing haircuts must sign at the Desk, with the exception of the Director.

20 Copies

of New York the Nine Million and Other Poems are in. Please see Herb Martin if you desire a copy.

Sidebar Speculations

Tumultuous doings at Treman forced revelers to invade certain other arenas of psychic space at BL this am. Whose blue muffler did double service at Gilmore? Why did A.R. tell B.J. that P.C. would have none of it?

TMQ

I need a dump truck, mama, to unload my head
I need a steam shovel, mama, to keep away the dead...

the crumb

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Scholars

This year's Juanita & Reginald Cook Scholar is Tom Demong. Tom, who has served as Headwaiter this summer, graduated from Colby College in 1968 and began work toward the M.A. at Bread Loaf in 1969. He will graduate Saturday. In the fall he returns to his high school teaching job in Waterville, Maine.

The Lillian Becker Scholar for 1972 is Sister Marguerite Daly. Sister Marguerite graduated from Carlow College (Pitts., Pa.) in 1967 and first came to Bread Loaf in 1970. This is her third year on the Mountain as a candidate for the M.A. degree. She has assisted in productions of The Chairs & Victims of Duty (1970) as a member of the Properties crew, has performed as Nurse Guiness in Heartbreak House (1971), and most recently has acted the part of Marina in Uncle Vanya. Sister Marguerite is currently teaching at Lawrenceville Catholic Consolidated H.S., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Book Sale

Today is the last day of the Bookstore sale. All books 20% off.

A Reminder

that applications for admission as a student to next year's School of English, as well as for waiterships & scholarships, are available in the Secretary's Office and should be completed.

Library Note

ALL books were due at 8:15 yesterday, though several have not yet been returned. Please bring Library books to the Library at 1:30 this afternoon.

The Snack Bar

will be closed Saturday from 5:30pm until after graduation (everyone works in the kitchen).

Tips

For maids -- at the Front Desk. For waiters/waitresses -- by the dining room door.

Notes Found on the Floor

Tips welcome in the Snack Bar too! Remember all those Breakfast Specials and Angels on Horseback -- and the fubsy wenches responsible.

Change of Address

for Shu-Chu Wei: from Sept. 1, 1972 - May 31, 1973 / Box 2051, East-West Center, 1777 East-West Road, Honolulu, Hawaii 96822. After May 31, 1973 / 414, Section 1, Taichung-Kang Road, Taichung, Taiwan, Republic of China.

Answers to TMQ

From Crumb No. 21 ('Get all the gold and silver that you can...'), 'Vacillation,' Yeats; from No. 22 ('The horror of the 20th century was the size of each new event, and the paucity of its reverberation.'), Of A Fire On the Moon, Norman Mailer; from No. 24 ('If fondling takes place in public at all...'), Etiquette, Amy Vanderbilt; from No. 27 ('...BELCHING...'), Tale of A Tub, Jonathan Swift; from No. 30 ('I need a dump truck, mama, to unload my head...'), 'From a Buick 6,' Dylan.

More:

Seen in the Barn, in the twilight time between morning coffee and day-tripping: J.M. in sweet converse with E.S.. Will they be this year's last vengeful coupling? Old sage B.G. says 'no.'

QUICKIES: A single tennis shoe between Fritz and the Printer's Cabin.
Minute scratches on the front porch of the Inn.
The bulb that burned all night, or did it?

the crumb

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Flicks

Tonight at 8:30 in the Barn: The Second 100 Years, a Laurel & Hardy quickie. Stan & Ollie in prison. Thwarted egress. 20 minutes. 1927.

After that: Duck Soup, the Marx Brothers at their best, with Margaret Dumont. Directed by Leo McCary in 1933. 70 minutes. Groucho becomes president of Freedonia, mythical land of idiots. Jollity follows.

Grades

will be given out to degree candidates only in the Blue Parlor Saturday morning from 11:30am until lunch. Please check the bulletin board first -- we cannot give out grades that haven't yet come in.

Notice

The Library opens at 1:30 this afternoon and the librarians earnestly hope that the few faculty members and students who still have books with them will return them then. Also will Mr. Braudy, Mr. George, Mr. Giamatti and Mr. Mirollo please pick up the personal copies which they have put in the Library, any time this afternoon at their convenience.

Senior Banquet

For the Banquet Saturday evening, all students (other than seniors) are asked to be in their seats in the dining room by 6:15pm. Semi-formal attire.

Request

The Front Desk asks that you please notify friends, relatives and countrymen not to continue sending mail to you at your BL address after the date of your departure. It helps to file a Change of Address card with your home Post Office.

Blue & White

Bread Loaf plates (Wedgewood china) are on sale at the Front Desk for $4.50 each.

Waiters' Party

The 6th annual BL Waiters' Party will kick it out tonight in the Barn (3rd floor) following the movies. Tunes provided. BYO and rave, rave against the dying of the light.

TMQ

Take what you have gathered from coincidence.

F I N I S

Not to be taken
From the Library

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